

What is claimed is:

1) A toilet backflow preventing means comprising  
an elongated tubular device having a first end and a second opposite end,  
said first end having a perpendicular flange,  
said second end terminating in a plurality radial slits,  
said slits having edges normally in abutment to valve close said elongated tubular device,  
said slits adapted and constructed to part under the aegis of a liquid discharge in one slits  
direction through said elongated tubular device,  
at least the second opposite end of the elongated tubular device having said plurality  
of radial slits being constructed of an elastomeric material,  
whereby with the cessation of the liquid discharge the slits will assume a normal  
abutment, thereby preventing a gaseous flow through the elongated device in  
an opposite direction.

2) The toilet backflow preventing means of claim1 wherein slits define a  
dukbill valve.